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## Senate

#### Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Four bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1840–1843. Page S9658

Measures Reported:

S. Res. 236, supporting the goals and ideals of the National Anthem Project, which has worked to restore America's voice by re-teaching Americans to sing the national anthem.

S. Res. 248, honoring the life and achievements of Dame Lois Browne Evans, Bermuda's first female barrister and Attorney General, and the first female Opposition Leader in the British Commonwealth.

S. Res. 261, expressing appreciation for the profound public service and educational contributions of Donald Jeffry Herbert, fondly known as "Mr. Wizard".

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Higher Education Amendments Act—Agreement **Modified**: A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing that at 10 a.m. on Monday, July 23, 2007, Senate begin consideration of S. 1642, to extend the authorization of programs under the Higher Education Act of 1965; that there be a 8 hours of debate on the bill and any amendments thereto with 2 hours of time equally divided and controlled between the Chairman and Ranking Member of the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, or their designees; provided further, that the only amendments in order other than the committee-reported amendment in the nature of a substitute, be a total of twelve relevant first-degree amendments—six for the Chairman and six for the Ranking Member, relevant to the matter of S. 1642 and the substitute, and an additional manager's amendment which has been cleared by the managers or the leaders, with no other amendments in order; that the time on the first-degree amendments be limited to 30 minutes each, equally divided and controlled by the Chairman and Ranking Member; that relevant second-degree amendments be in order and must be relevant to the amendment to which offered and that an additional time of 15 minutes be available for any second-degree amendments which may be offered, equally divided and controlled, and that upon the disposition of all amendments, the substitute, as amended, if amended, be agreed to, the bill, as amended, be read a third time, and Senate vote on passage of the bill.

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Measures Placed on the Calendar:

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Statements on Introduced Bills/Resolutions:

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Text of H.R. 2669 as Previously Passed:

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 12:03 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Monday, July 23, 2007. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page \$9668.)

### Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

#### YOUTH VIOLENCE AND MENTORING

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies concluded a hearing to examine youth violence, focusing on the efficacy of mentoring children, after receiving testimony from Martin Lexmond, Milwaukee Public Schools Department of School Innovation, Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Andres A. Alonso, Baltimore City Public School System, Baltimore, Maryland; Thomas M. Brady, School District of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Bob Collins, Los Angeles Unified School District, Los Angeles, California; and Carmita Vaughan, Chicago Public Schools Drop-out Prevention and Recovery, Chicago, Illinois.